



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : David G. Bird
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For : LOCATION OF MISSING VEHICLES
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED PROSECUTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

In response to the final Office action mailed October
2, 1998, please amend the above-entitled application as follows:

In the claims:

Please amend claim 28 by rewriting it as follows:

28. (Twice Amended) A method of disclosing the present
location of a vehicle, the method comprising the steps of: